

### **Amendments to the Specification:**

In the Detailed Description, please replace the 2<sup>nd</sup> full paragraph on page 12, found from lines 15-31, with the following paragraph:

"In another embodiment, a layer or other portion of the web, including the entire web, can be provided with wet or dry strength agents. For example, the side of a web that is not creped may sometimes be susceptible to linting or sloughing due to the disruption of the web induced by creping. The tendency to release lint or dust in use can be reduced in some embodiments by adding suitable wet strength agents or dry strength agents to the furnish, particularly in an outer layer of the furnish. Such strength agents can include any wet strength resin known in the art of papermaking such as KYMENE® resins (Hercules, Inc., Wilmington, Delaware) as well as dry strength aids such as starch, cationic starch, gums, anionic acrylamide copolymers, alum systems, various sizing agents such as alkenylsuccinic anhydride (ASA) or alkyl ketone dimmers (AKD) or rosin dispersion sizing agents such as Neutral Sizing Agent (NSA) from Georgia-Pacific Paper & Pulp Chemicals (Atlanta, Georgia), or retention aids such as HARMIDE resin from Harima Corp. (Osaka, Japan). In a related embodiment, one side of the web before or after drying or before or after creping of the web can be coated, sprayed, or printed with an aqueous solution or aqueous dispersion comprising a strength aid to increase the strength or lint resistance of that side."